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REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116

In response to the Office Action mailed on May 24, 2005, the period for response there having been extended so as to expire on November 24, 2005, pursuant to Applicants' Petition for Extension of Time filed concurrently with this Reply, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

The present amendments follow the revised format procedure mandated by 37 C.F.R. §1.121, effective July 30, 2003.

Claims pending in the application are listed on pages 2-13 of this paper.

Applicants Remarks begin on page 14 of this paper.